



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

CHRISTOPH C. MICHAEL

Serial No.: 09/955,165

Filed: September 19, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
MINING EXECUTION TRACES  
WITH FINITE AUTOMATA

Art Unit: 2121

Examiner: HIRL, Joseph P.

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-1390.

**Amendments to the Claims:** reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks:** begin on page 4 of this paper.